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In re Application Of : Keith C. Thomas
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1. Amendment and Response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2003.
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FEE FOR EXCESS CLAIMS

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16 (b)-(d) has been calculated as shown below:

Independent claims in excess of 3 added: 2 X \$86.00 = \$172.00

Total number of claims in excess of 20 added: 9 X \$18.00 = \$162.00

The total additional fee for claims required is : **\$334.00**

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